

**Weather**  
Today, increasing cloudiness, with fresh northerly winds. Tomorrow, cloudy and warmer, possibly with showers.

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**Arlington Population,**  
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## ARLINGTON MAN INJURED WHEN STRUCK BY CAR

John Kelley, age 77, well known former city employee living at 126 Brattle street, Arlington, received several broken ribs when struck and knocked down by a sedan automobile on the Summer street boulevard, near Overlook road, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The car, owned by Elizabeth Ekmekjian, of 145 Crescent avenue, East Lexington, was operated by A. K. Ekmekjian of the same address at the time of the accident.

The driver of the car rushed the injured man to Symmes Arlington hospital where X-ray pictures taken late yesterday afternoon revealed the broken ribs. Mr. Kelley was badly shaken up but is now reported as resting comfortably. The accident victim was treated by Dr. Lawley at the hospital.

Mr. Kelley is very well known in Arlington, having been employed by the city for forty years. He is at present retired.

## ESCAPES INJURY AS STREET CAR HITS HIS AUTO

Michael J. Duggan, of 64 Margaret street, Arlington narrowly escaped injuries yesterday afternoon when an automobile coupe which he was operating was struck by a Boston Elevated street car at the corner of Lake street and Massachusetts avenue.

## CLOTHING STOLEN FROM ARLINGTON APARTMENT

Breaking in while the occupants were away, a daring thief or thieves entered A. C. Shelton's apartment at 224 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, yesterday morning and got away with three suits of clothes and a good overcoat. The break was not reported to the local police until 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon after which a thorough investigation was immediately launched to find the offenders.

According to Mr. Shelton, his wife was out shopping and he was at work when the theft occurred. Upon returning to the apartment, Mrs. Shelton discovered that the clothing was missing. Believing that her husband might have taken the suits and coat to a tailor shop, she did not consider the possibility of a robbery until yesterday afternoon at which time she decided to notify her husband of the missing articles.

When informed that the clothing had not been taken away by her husband she immediately notified the police and officer Lopez was sent to the apartment to investigate.

## Lieut-Governor Speaks Before Arlington Clubs



LIEUT.-GOV. YOUNGMAN Speaker in Arlington

Lieutenant Governor William S. Youngman was the guest speaker at the weekly meeting of the Arlington Kiwanis club this noon. Albert Wunderly, president of the Kiwanis in this town, introduced the speaker at the luncheon in Wyman's restaurant on Massachusetts avenue.

The Arlington Rotary club attended the luncheon as the guests of the local Kiwanis club.

## Welfare Council Wants Clothing For Local People

Mrs. Semira Perry, president of the Arlington Welfare Council yesterday made a special appeal to the Daily News requesting clothing from Arlington residents for needy families. The council is especially in need of men's and children's clothing.

Two assistants are working in the clothing room of the Welfare Council in the old town hall every morning and all clothing received at the office is carefully sorted. The Council has received numerous coats but is now especially anxious to receive trousers for laborers in garden and outside works this spring. Up to the present time, Mrs. Perry says, residents have been reluctant in sending some clothing which they believe is not good enough to be worn and yet quite suitable for rough work. There is no need to hesitate sending in any kind of clothing, the Welfare Council president said yesterday.

Anyone desiring to give clothing for distribution to the needy should bring it to the Welfare Council office at the old town hall or notify the office, Arlington 6206.

### WATCH!

Have you ever entered a popularity contest? If not, you'll surely want to compete in the novel contest which will be launched by the Daily News tomorrow. Watch for it!

Be sure to read tomorrow afternoon's Daily News in order to get the rules and full details regarding this contest. Every member of the family will be interested. They'll be plenty of fun for dad, mother, sister and brother watching the number of votes for their favorite candidate increase. The rules will be simple. Don't forget to read tomorrow's Daily News for further details. Remember, tomorrow get

### THE DAILY NEWS

## Local People To Go To Cambridge Convention Soon

Looking forward to welcoming two thousand Christian Endeavorers from Middlesex County to Cambridge on Tuesday, April 19, the Cambridge Union Convention committee is preparing final arrangements. Several Arlington members of the organization are planning to attend the convention.

Since last week, the following well-known leaders in Young Peoples' work have been secured as conference leaders—Carroll M. Wright, General; Prof. A. Edwin Wells, Publicity; Anita Kemp, Missionary; Christine McAskill, Junior; Pearl Leslie, Building Programs.

The morning session in Sanders Theatre, Harvard University, will open at 10:30 a. m. with an address by Rev. Ambrose Bailey, D. D., of the First United Baptist Church, Lowell. In addition to the previously announced trips through historic Cambridge, a baseball game between members of the Cambridge Endeavor Union and members of some rival Union within the County has been planned.

Memorial Hall, also part of Harvard University, will be used for the box lunches at noon and for the banquet at 5:30 p. m. when the entire convention will enjoy the banquet together. The installation of the newly-elected County officers by the Rev. Eugene Dinsmore Doolittle, D. D., West Medford Baptist Church, will take place during the evening session. Awards for Union work during the past year as well as the County loving cup for convention attendance will be made at this time. The message which this closing session will be brought by the Rev. Arthur Lee Kinsolving of Trinity Church, Boston.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Convention will be held this year on Sunday, April 17th at the North Avenue Baptist Church, Massachusetts Avenue, North Cambridge, from three to five o'clock. This group will be under the leadership of Dorothea Johnson, Junior superintendent of the Middlesex County Christian Endeavor Union, who plans a most interesting program for these younger boys and girls.

The afternoon session of the Intermediate group will be held on April 19th at the Old Cambridge Baptist Church, adjacent to the Harvard University campus, the young people joining with the senior group for the morning and evening sessions in Sanders Theatre.

## Arlington High Ball Team Now Getting In Trim

With the help of the weather man, not mentioning the weather itself, Coach Ostegen of the Arlington High School yesterday was able to ascertain just what his squad will consist of. He no doubt is truthful enough in saying that there are no big leaguers on the squad. But they are not a necessity for a successful season. He has a wealth of material. The candidates have had much valuable experience playing on the class teams. A first team infield has been working together for the last couple of days. This infield consists of Clarke, who is the Captain first base. Cronin is covering second base for the present. In the short stop position Buckley seems to be a possible choice. Greeley is making the long throw over from third base and looks like a permanent fixture in that particular section of the diamond. Behind the bat there is a choice. Mahoney looks like one of the best. The outfield is too indefinite to even attempt to choose a possible set of players.

Travers was laying into a few of McCormick was serving up as and if Travers' fielding is as good as his hitting, he has a good chance of spending an afternoon or so pulling down some long balls. There might be very few long ones when Weldow starts teaching the opposing batters how to miss them easily in three lessons.

## Two Arlington Quintets Play In Hub Games

Two Arlington basketball quintets took prominent part in the first round of the trial games in the annual tournament of Boys' Clubs of Boston last Tuesday night. The Arlington Bruins defeated the Revere Cardinals in the Midget Division with a 17 to 9 score while the Arlington Eagles bowed before the fast Dillon Club Juniors, dropping the game which ended 30 to 21.

Holway, Arlington forward, was high scorer for the Bruins with three baskets and one successful free try to his credit. Hendricks' five baskets from the floor and one pointer from the white line gave the Eagles eleven of their 21 points.

The summaries are as follows:

DILLON CLUB JUNIORS			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Frisoli, rf.	3	0	6
Drohan, rf.	0	0	0
O'Connor, lf.	2	0	4
Sullivan, c.	6	0	12
Marim, rg.	3	0	6
Plausky, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	15	0	30

  

ARLINGTON EAGLES			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Peterson, rf.	0	0	0
Hendricks, rg.	5	1	11
Walsh, c.	1	0	2
Moore, lf.	3	0	6
Gracia, rf.	1	0	2
Totals	10	1	21

  

ARLINGTON BRUINS			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Holway, rf.	3	1	7
Jones, rf.	0	0	0
Lowder, lf.	2	0	4
Donnelly, c.	2	0	4
Higgins, rg.	1	0	2
Shields, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	8	1	17

  

REVERE CARDINALS			
	Gls.	Fls.	Pts.
Smith, lg.	0	0	0
Huston, lg.	0	0	0
Cormier, rg.	0	0	0
Knowlton, rg.	0	0	0
Flahive, c.	1	1	2
Brown, lf.	1	0	2
Dillon, rf.	2	0	4
Totals	4	1	9

## UNEMPLOYED TO GET WORK ON SEVERAL ARLINGTON PROJECTS

**Registration Of Arlington Voters Light**

Only 113 Arlington people who are qualified to vote registered their names on the voting list at the registration session in Robbins Memorial Hall yesterday. James J. Golden, Jr., and Eben E. Dewing of the board of registrars were in charge of the session which closed at ten o'clock last night.

Although the session was opened from twelve o'clock noon, the number of registrations was unusually small. The registrars point out that the lack of interest among non-voters to register now is due to the fact that very little competition is expected in the coming presidential primaries. Ordinarily the number of registrations is much larger.

The registrars expect a much larger turnout at the next registration sessions which will take place next fall.

**Work On Improvement of Several Local Streets and Parks To Begin Next Monday—Emergency Unemployment Committee To Assign Several Unemployed Men To the Job—Work Voted in Town Warrant—Other Odd Jobs Sought From Residents.**

Several unemployed men in the town of Arlington will be given work beginning next Monday morning when many improvements of public property will be started, according to a statement made by Clifford W. Cook, executive secretary of the Arlington Emergency Unemployment Committee yesterday. The appropriations for these improvements were all included in the town warrant at the annual town meeting held a short time ago.

Improvements will be made on the grounds of the Junior High School West; the High School grounds; the town property at Spy Pond and Lowell street; on Mystic street at the old gravel pit at the Reservoir; and at Meadow Brook park. Work on mosquito eradication at Symmes swamp, George street meadow, Cutter swamp, Dickson swamp, Mill brook and the Thorndike street area will also be started Monday under the supervision of the Arlington board of health.

Although the Emergency Unemployment committee will assign men to the work, the projects will be under the supervision of various Arlington public departments including the board of health.

This work will take care of only a small part of the many unemployed in this town and for this reason the Emergency Unemployment committee is eager to get the cooperation of individuals in order to give unemployed men more odd jobs. The executive secretary of the Unemployment Committee points out that with the coming of warm weather, there should be an increased demand for laborers on outside gardening work.

At the present time nine hundred and eighty men are registered on the Committee's list of those seeking work in this town. All are out of work at the present and four hundred of these are entirely dependent upon work obtainable or on whatever aid they can receive.

Any Arlington resident who can give work or odd jobs to some unemployed man now on this list should get in touch with the Arlington Emergency Unemployment committee office, in the old town hall, at once. The telephone number is Arlington 0369.

## NEW PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT WILL START JOBS SHORTLY

Edward O'Brien, of 57 Webster street, who was appointed superintendent of all outside work by the Arlington Board of Public Works this week is to start supervision of several sewer and water main extension projects shortly. These extensions have been voted by the Board of Public Works and include extensions on Winchester road, Temple street and Endicott road, as well as a sewer outlet on Lancaster road.

The new superintendent has been working in the department for the past three years and formerly had charge of the water and sewer division. The highway division, formerly under the supervision of William J. Toomey, will now be taken care of by Superintendent O'Brien. Mr. Toomey will have charge of the sanitary division.

The board has also appointed S. Alfred Benson as clerk, department purchasing agent and water registrar.

## FUNERAL OF PROMINENT RESIDENT HELD TODAY

The funeral of James Francis Colgan, well-known Arlington insurance man and Dartmouth college graduate, who died at 31 Claymoss road, Brighton, last Tuesday, took place from the home of his sister, Mrs. H. C. Reardon, 45 Oakland avenue, Arlington Heights, this morning. A high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. James Church at nine o'clock.

Mr. Colgan was stricken last Thursday with a heart attack while attending a wake and had to remain in Brighton where he died on Tuesday.

Mr. Colgan's home was at 17 Bow st., Arlington Heights. He was born in Brighton, 45 years ago, and lived there most of his younger life. He was graduated from the Boston Latin School, and then went to college. After leaving Dartmouth he went to the Canal Zone and was a construction superintendent during the building of the Panama Canal for about six years. Returning North, he came to Boston, and during the World War was engaged as a Knight of Columbus secretary, being located at the Parker Hill Hospital much of the time, and for a time at the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington.

For half a dozen years he had been an agent in Boston for the State Mutual Life Insurance Company of Worcester. He was a member of the Dartmouth Club of Boston. Surviving Mr. Colgan are his wife, who was Miss Melverda M. Hulise; two sons, James F. Colgan Jr., and Charles Edgar Colgan, both of Arlington Heights; two brothers, Leo A. Colgan of Arlington and Charles H. Colgan of Cleveland, O., and three sisters, Mrs. John Dyer of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Harold L. Whitney and Mrs. John J. Reardon, both of Arlington Heights.

## Art Lovers' Club To Meet With Mrs. George Croissant

Mrs. George E. Croissant of 277 Gray street, Arlington, will entertain the Art Lovers' Club of Greater Boston for its April meeting on Thursday of next week. Mrs. Alfred Drew of Winchester will read a paper on "American Art—William Morris Hunt and Elihu Vedder."

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## Longfellow Chapter Will Celebrate Its 24th Anniversary

Longfellow Chapter, 117 O. E. S., will celebrate the 24th anniversary of its institution tomorrow evening in Robbins Memorial Hall, Arlington.

Mrs. Estelle Platin, worthy matron, is general chairman of the evening. I. Frederick Wood, worthy patron, is in charge of the entertainment and Mrs. Jessie Simmons, P. M. of the reception.

A William Platin with a large committee will serve refreshments.

There will be a large number of invited guests which will include many past matrons and past patrons, the charter members, all members who were initiated during the first year of the Chapter's existence, as well as many past and present grand officers.

## Arlington Police Hunt Swindler

Arlington police are running down clues which might lead to the arrest of a man who swindled Miss Alice Avedisian, owner of Milton Spa at 121 Massachusetts avenue, of \$8.50 recently. According to Miss Avedisian, the man represented himself as an authorized collector for magazines which had been left at the business place.

The description given local police says the man was about twenty-seven years of age, was of light complexion had dark blue eyes, and wore a brown suit and light topcoat.

## Local Boy Suffers Severe Cut In Fall

Accidentally falling against a toy truck, Clifford Anderson, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson of 12 Shaw-shen road, Arlington, received a long deep gash to his cheek yesterday afternoon.

The boy was rushed to Symmes Arlington hospital where seven stitches were required to close the wound. He was taken to his home later in the afternoon.



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Every issue of the Arlington News is treated as if it were an extra because the same high tension effort is put into every department of this great newspaper, the same attitude of getting and holding your attention. From first hand news of the world to the last item of "What's Doing in Town Today," the editorial policy of making this news interesting to you is evident. If you want news and reading entertainment that is prepared to really inform you and entertain you in a manner that is compatible with your intelligence, you will want the

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# In The Realm Of Sport

by Joe Doherty

## OFFERS CITY LEAGUE TROPHY

A certain Mr. Zade of South Medford writes in to commend the recent squib in this column concerning the support, or rather lack of it, in his section, causing the withdrawal of the Catino Club from the City Baseball League. Mr. Zade states that if stands were erected to accommodate the fans and make the way clear for the re-entrance of the Catino Club he would offer a trophy to be taken into permanent possession by the team first winning the championship.

As it stands his offer is appreciated but he is not acquainted with all of the facts. Mr. Zade is a newcomer in Medford and no doubt doesn't understand that the playgrounds in the city have stood in their present condition for years, no seats ever being erected on any of the seven. He has made his offer with the hope that the cup would stay in South Medford, giving the Catino club enough incentive to stick in the race and make a stab for the championship.

It will probably be many a year before stands are ordered up and when the city does see fit to accommodate the first set will be placed on a park more centrally located. The stands should have been erected long ago. They weren't and there is nothing to do about the matter, especially under present conditions with a general cut in expenses of the many city department's necessary to pull through the period of depression.

## NO HOLIDAY OFFERING

As yet there is no sport attraction billed for the holiday. The Medford-Malden baseball game which is usually played on Patriots' Day has been moved back to the 30th. It's up to one of the City League teams to save the day and book a game.

The High School will not open its season until the 26th, opposing Charlie Dickerman's Somerville High nine on that afternoon at Dilboy Field. Malden and Everett follow the opener with Somerville. Three stiff games in succession but the man who makes out all schedules, Faculty Manager Kendall, had his hands tied. A curtailment of the activities was necessary to meet the limited funds on hand and in a short schedule all of the regular rivals must be met.

The first game is less than three weeks away and the boys will have little time to make ready for it. The squad has not yet been called out but is expected to be next Monday. Ernie Roberts is slated to coach again although it was expected that he would retire from the position last June.

## RIVALS TO BATTLE

You might notice in glancing over the City League schedule that the Tigers and North Medford Club are to meet for the first time on Park street playground Sunday afternoon, May 8th. That should be the game of games for the North Medford fans as the two local rivals will have met every other league opponent by that date and each will be well started on its respective schedule of 21 games for the first half.

The series between those two teams will provide plenty of action and excitement mixed with intense rivalry, all of which is a boost for league baseball. The fans will watch closely the progress of the new member of the circuit. The team has strengthened considerably and has several former North Medford stars awaiting the opener.

Sig Somy, Freddie Newton and Lefty Zampell are a trio of pitchers who rank with the best of the league. Al Ritchie, Johnny Clifton, Bill Harris and Joe Orpen are others who will do their bit to pull the new entry through to the top in its initial league venture.

## Bridge-Luncheon Aids Thursday Fortnightly Club Philanthropies

The Annual Charity bridge-luncheon held by the Thursday Fortnightly club at the Hotel Kea more Saturday, was most successful being patronized to the capacity of the Crystal Room. This charity bridge annually provides a fund for contributions to several worthy institutions and its generous support this year will enable the club to meet unusually urgent demands.

The committee in charge arranged the luncheon for table groups of eight, the center table being reserved for the guests of the club: Mrs. John Montgomery, president of the West Medford Women's club; Mrs. William J. Reilly, president of the Isabel Arnold Dame Music club; Mrs. W. B. Wells, president of the Medford Women's club and Mrs. Vernon Harr's president of the Mothers' Club of Medford Hillside.

Also assisting Mrs. M. J. Pigott, president of Thursday Fortnightly as hostess was Mrs. Howard Fahy, a past president now a

## South Medford

—Miss Eleanor Romano, 11 Sanger street, is spending three weeks at the home of her uncle, in Dorchester.

—Fred Potter, 34 Henry street, treasurer of the South Medford Horseshoe club, will distribute the newly arrived printed pamphlets of the club's By-Laws and the scientific principles applying to horseshoe pitching, to the members of the club and also to any who care to have one.

—Peter Dentone, 165 Harvard street, intends to spend the week-end at his cottage in Burlington.

—Ernest Solari, 12 Edward street, will spend the weekend at Brookline, at the estate of a well known sea grill proprietor.

—George Delvisco, 9 Leyden street, is recovering from an illness.

—resident of Scarsdale, N. Y. At the conclusion of the luncheon pivot bridge was enjoyed for the remainder of the afternoon, prizes being awarded to the winners at each table.

## Henigan In Fit Condition For Long Grind On Patriots' Day

Forced Out of Two Ten-Milers Because of Sore Heel But Manages To Practice Each Day—Recently Did Course in Three Minutes Under Record Time—Making Ready For Final Appearance Unless He is Selected For Olympic Team



JIMMY HENIGAN

That smiling Henigan will rate one of the favorites in the annual B. A. A. Marathon on Patriots' Day is certain after the Medford veteran's performance in a practice spin last Sunday.

## Medford Girl Scouts Planning Big Camp Reunion

All Camp Coolidge campers of former years are looking forward to the Camp reunion to be held April 8 in the West Medford Congregational church in West Medford, at 6:30 p. m. During the banquet, there will be songs led by Helen Kelleher; speeches, untold the direction of Mary Guido, treasurer of the camp, and an entertainment under the leadership of Amy Wild, chairman of that committee. All those attending should sign up with headquarters at once.

Camp folders and applications have been mailed to registered Scout and should be returned to Headquarters at once. We anticipate the biggest season ever and are planning to make it even better than last year!

The April issue of the Signal Lantern, magazine published by and for Medford Girl Scouts, was given so much time to plans for the Camp reunion.

Members of Troop 6, with Miss Fennessy, went through the Herald Traveller building in Boston on Saturday, March 27 and were much interested in the complicated process which is necessary to get out this daily paper. Afterwards, they visited W. E. F.'s broadcasting station. The troop is now working on the Handvoman merit badge under the efficient instruction of Mr. Oxnard of West Medford.

There are now 19 Brownies who have their pins, and the Pack is full and has a waiting list. At their last meeting they learned a folk dance and some new songs.

Mrs. Percy Belva, Captain of Troop 14, had a bridge party on March 31 to raise money for the troop. The girls are selling peanuts to raise money, too. New as they are, they hope to have one Campership to offer.

Troop Notes  
Troop 1—Mrs. Frank Pote, captain. Under the leadership of Lieutenant Pote the troop members are working on a play to be given on Wednesday, April 27. More details will be announced later. At the last troop meeting Lieutenant Walking took charge of the work which consisted of an examination on "The History of the American Flag".

Troop 2—Mrs. Marshall Mower, captain. The following girls have passed their second class Health tests: Mary Crawford, Ruth Breed, Ruth Smith, Priscilla Boyd, Ruth Breed, Ruth Coqueron and Polly Gooch. The following five girls have passed their second class Observation tests: Mary Crawford, Ruth Breed, Doris Wiley, Kathleen McGrath and Rosalie Bellitti. Marie Miles and Genevieve Derby passed their second class Fire Prevention tests. On Monday afternoon Mrs. Philip Evans of 71 Dover street, West Medford, is giving a course in Table Setting. At the regular troop meeting the girls are working on Signalling. Compass and Nature work.

Troop 4—Miss Geraldine Puffer, captain. Miss Helen Johnson is acting as reporter of the troop's activities. The second class Scouts are working on the Signalling tests. The Tenderfoot girls are working on their second class tests under the leadership of their Lieutenant, Miss Page.

Troop 5—Miss Grace Bratten, captain. Special troop meetings are to be held on Mondays for the passing of second class tests, also for Merit Badges. Two new Scouts are to be invested with their Tenderfoot pins at the next troop meeting on Thursday, Thermo

Jimmy did the entire distance of 24 miles, 335 yards from Hopkinton to the B. A. A. clubhouse in Boston three minutes under record time for the event. The 1931 victor is making ready for his last appearance in the annual holiday feature. If he is winner he will be the only one selected from this section of the nation to represent Uncle Sam in the Olympics next August at Los Angeles. If he finishes second or any position below he will hang up his spikes for all time and rest comfortably on the laurels he has gained in 23 years of long distance competition.

Jimmy never misses a day of training and is making the most earnest preparation of his long career for the big event scheduled within two weeks. A sore heel has failed to halt his progress although it did force him out of the Presentation run last week and will probably keep him a spectator in the Cathedral ten-miler next Saturday.

Each night he jogs home from work, hustles through his supper and goes out to do more conditioning work. On Saturday and Sunday he trots a good distance. Every day after practice Jack Dwyer, his efficient trainer, gives him the once over and massages those muscles and ligaments that will have to be in A-1 condition to bring the veteran through with a victory on the holiday.

Dwyer hasn't missed a day on the job since he started, a couple of weeks before Jimmy's popular victory last year. He has been a great help to the Smiler and the latter certainly appreciates all he has done.

Johnson and Doris Tibbetts, Pauline Dakin, Marie Cuneo and Evelyn lanuwa have already received their Tenderfoot pins.

Troop 9—Miss Alice Crossley, captain. The troop members are working on their second class work. At the last regular troop meeting the girls worked on Folk Dancing, also learned a few songs, and discussed plans for raising money.

Troop 11—Miss Clara McKenna, captain. The following two girls Janet Gates and Vivian Rodon were invested as Tenderfoot Scouts at the last troop meeting. Margaret Nolan and Doris Sullivan passed their tests in Sewing and Signalling. Marie Herlihy passed her test in Sewing.

The meeting of the troop will take place on Tuesday this week instead of Thursday. Four new members were welcomed at the last troop meeting. Mavis Brown, Grace Thorson, Catherine Krager and Louise Burke.

Troop 12—Miss Mary Doherty, captain. At the last meeting Mrs. Walker assisted with the work because of the illness of the Lieutenant, Mrs. Dean Henderson. One new girl, Grace Plastridge, was welcomed as a new member to begin her work for the Tenderfoot test.

## State Police Make Record For Arrests

Arrests by the state police for automobile law violations reached their highest total for the first quarter of any year in history during the first three months of the current fiscal year from Dec. 1, 1931 to Feb. 29, 1932, the Governor's Committee on street and highway safety reports.

More than keeping pace with the rising tide of highway fatalities, which increased 17.1 per cent in the first quarter this year, automobile arrests by the state police increased 26.3 per cent over the corresponding three months a year ago and more than doubled the record of 1930.

The total number of arrests for all automobile violations in December, January and February of the present fiscal year was 1,505, as compared to 1,110 last year and 687 two years ago.

Failure to keep to the right hand side of the road with the view ahead obstructed, excessive speed, failure to slow down at intersections and driving under the influence of liquor were the four most prevalent violations encountered, according to the total arrests for each offense, and in each case resulted in a substantially greater number of arrests than in the previous year.

Operating so as to endanger formed the fifth largest class of violators apprehended, and the five taken together resulted in 1,043 arrests or some 69 per cent of the total.

The violation of failing to keep to the right caused the greatest number of arrests for any one offense, the total reaching 332. Speeding was next with 315, failure to slow at intersections caused 166 and drunken driving netted 125, of which 124, incidentally, or almost 100 per cent, were convicted.

One feature of the report was a big increase this year in the number of drivers arrested for operating without a license. There were 79 arrested for this violation, representing a 41 per cent increase over last year.

While essentially a police body subject to action in all sorts of crime, automobile cases constituted more than half the activities of the state patrol with the 1,505 automobile law arrests made in the first quarter comprising 60 per cent of the 2,495 arrests made for all violations from murder to violations of the fish and game laws.

## Company E In 48-31 Victory

Company I of Stoneham proved merely a set-up for the strong Company E quintet which romped to a 48-31 victory on the Army floor last night. There was no second team game, the visitors disappointing by bringing along only seven players.

Wanky Berez led the attack in the victory with 24 points. Johnny Glazebrook made his second appearance of the season in the Medford lineup and helped himself to seven points.

Company E led at the finish of the first period, 15-0. 27-8 at half-time and 35-18 at the finish of the third period. The summary:

	G	F	Pts
A. Colclough, rf.	1	0	2
Glazebrook	3	1	7
Hocan, lf.	1	0	2
Winn, c.	2	1	5
Kane, rb.	4	0	8
Berez, lb.	12	0	24
Totals	23	2	48

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	G	F	Pts
Brady, lb.	0	0	0
Ringland	0	0	0
Hardcastle, rb.	3	0	7
Huddy, c.	2	0	4
Rimmler, lf.	3	2	8
Knights, rf.	3	2	8
Totals	13	5	31

Referee: Joe Doyle.

## George Favorite With Fans In Title Match With DeGlane Tonight

Wrestling fans are beginning to swing toward Ed George in the championship match with Henry DeGlane, present titleholder, scheduled for Thursday night at the Arena.

Ever since he lost the title George has had but one idea in mind, that of getting it back again. Strangler Lewis refused to meet him and DeGlane gave him a single chance after the Frenchman dethroned Lewis.

That was the match which Boston fans will remember at Braves field, when, after apparently having all the best of it, George went down under a rabbit punch which took so much out of him he was unable to resist the last efforts of the Frenchman.

George, however, will be well prepared to counteract the dangerous blow of the titleholder on this occasion. He has trained faithfully and perfected what he thinks will be an airtight defence against DeGlane, rabbit punch or no rabbit punch.

In addition to the championship involved, there is enough interest in the balance of the card to make up an entirely new show. The semi-final between Jim Browning and Nick Lutze is worthy of a headline rating anytime and there will be 13 other bouts on the card.

The major portion of the proceeds will be turned over to the George Curley Welfare fund and Mayor Curley has promised to be present at the Arena.

## Legion Auxiliary To Attend Two Malden Functions

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary to Medford post, 48, are invited to attend an Americanization meeting of the Malden unit, which is to be held in the home of the Malden Legion, Tuesday evening next.

Members of Medford auxiliary are reminded of the invitation of the Medford War Mothers, chapter 5, to attend an open meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, in Malden Electric hall, Pleasant street, Malden.

## Medford Locals

—J. Edward Gallagher, well known Medford resident, of 147 Salem street, will open his cottages at Falmouth and Green Harbor this week.

—Edward Lemoine has returned from a week's business trip to New York city and Hartford, Conn.

—Mrs. Harold MacBrine, 25 Tyler avenue, West Medford, had as her weekend guest Miss Salisbury of Washington, D. C.

—Wilson Sanborn of Forest street, Medford, is enjoying a brief vacation tour in Bermuda.

—Mrs. Harvey C. Voorhees of Medford, has been spending the past few weeks in Maine with her mother, who is quite ill.

—Tague Chisholm of Rural avenue is on the road with a new car which he received as a graduation present.

—Badger Perrin of Hillsdale road has returned to Norwich University after a short vacation.

—Robert Sylvia of Gleason street has returned to Proctor Academy where he is studying.

—Arthur O'Connor of Orchard street has returned to St. John's Prep. after a short vacation.

—William Gallagher of 147 Salem street, Medford, has returned to St. John's prep. following the Easter holidays.

—Miss Mary Espinola, teacher at the Lincoln Junior High school is confined to her home by illness.

—Robert Baird, 26 Banner avenue, Medford, is ill with the croup.

—Miss Mary Mahon, secretary at the Lincoln Junior High school, is ill at her home with scarlet fever.

—Kenneth Garland, 136 Summer street, has been out of school this week with a severe cold.

—Mrs. Carolyn Downing, 28 Banner avenue, entertained friends from Braintree, Monday evening.

—Miss Mildred Cassidy, of New Britain, Conn., has been visiting with relatives in this city.

—Medford Girl Scouts are to present the play, "Little Women" at the Roberts Junior High hall May 13th.

## Tufts and B. U. Pry Off Lid On College Baseball Season

Rivals of Long Standing Will Meet At Oval On Saturday Afternoon—Neither Team Has Had Much Outdoor Practice—Felix Andruskiewicz Will Hurl Opener For Jumbos—Starting Catcher For Tufts Much In Doubt—Kaese Will Be Captain

The college baseball season in this section will be opened on Saturday afternoon with Boston University and Tufts College doing the honors at the Oval. These two rivals of long standing are expected to furnish a tight battle although neither has been fortunate in having outdoor practice until this week.

Coach Ken Nash has had his boys out for over a month in the spacious cage of the new gym where infield practice can be held quite comfortably and the players are allowed to take a clean-sweep at the ball in batting practice although there are a few restrictions on hitting.

Nash has not been handicapped to any great extent by fall-throw to get out-of-doors earlier although he would like to get a look at his outfielders and decide the trio that will patrol in the garden for the game with the Terriers.

Outlook Bright  
The outlook for the Brown and Blue is exceptionally bright, many veterans being on hand to assure the makings of a winning combination. Nash will experience no trouble with the infielders or pitchers but must select a new group of outfielders and a catcher.

Harry Arlanson, regular receiver for the past three seasons who captained the Jumbos in his Junior and Senior years, is among the missing as are Norman Ingalls, shortstop; Ray Ockert, third baseman; and Hank Godfrey, Frank Lupien and Charlie Haber, outfielders.

The catching position seems to be the most in doubt. There are six candidates working out at present with Sammy Clayman, a freshman, slated to be converted to a receiver and hold the regular assignment. Max Budvoly and Allan Ingraham, two Juniors, are good prospects and three Sophomores are also being con-

sidered, John McMahon, John McGonagle and Frank Saracco.

Batchelder Nails First  
Eddie Batchelder, a star first sacker for the Freshmen nine last spring, has convinced Coach Nash that he can supply the goods and will undoubtedly start on the initial cushion against the Terriers.

Clayman played that berth last year but Batchelder looks the better of the two. If Sammy does not come through as a catcher he will be placed in the outfield because of his hitting ability.

Thorburn Kennedy and Bobby Verge are still waging the fierce battle for second base that they began last spring but Verge is slated to shift to the outfield.

Oscar Hornig will cover short and Harold Kaese, the bespectacled short fielder of the 1931 aggregation, will shift to the hot corner. Kaese, a Junior, has been appointed captain of the team by Coach Nash but the appointment must meet with the approval of the faculty athletic board before he will be allowed to act in that capacity. Charlie Haber was to be the captain but he failed to return to school. In such cases it is the policy at Tufts for the coach to appoint a successor.

There are outfielders galore and many who will shift to the Garden because of their ability with the stick. No cut will be made in this department until next week.

Andruskiewicz to Pitch  
Felix Andruskiewicz, a Junior who was the sensation of the hurling corps last season, is scheduled to pitch the opener and is in condition to travel the entire route of nine innings. Harold Ken Clark, varsity fullback, Jim Brown and John Padula are other veterans.

Leonard "Bump" Spaulding, former Medford High star, and Art DeAngelo, ex-Everett pitching ace, both Sophomores, are sure of being retained on the squad and will probably see much service in relief roles.

## Winter Sports Dance At Tufts Sponsored By Tower Cross Soc.

The Annual Winter Sports Dance at Tufts College, sponsored by Tower Cross, Senior Honorary Society, will take place on Saturday evening, in the Goddard Gymnasium, Cambridge.

Patrons and patronesses will be Professor and Mrs. Lewis F. Manly, Coach Samuel Ruggeri and Mrs. Ruggeri, Professor Clarence P. Houston, Director of Physical Education, and Mrs. Houston.

The major event of the evening will be the announcement of the captains of basketball and wrestling for the 1932 season. Members of Tower Cross are as follows: President, Grant R. Robinson, Tufts College; Vice-president, Harold C. Hatch, Winchester; Secretary-treasurer, Jacob H. Fine, College Point, N. Y.; Marshal, John J. Maloney, South Portland, Maine; Warren E. Carley, Attleboro; J. Ross Verge, West Roxbury; Charles C. Hooterman, Dorchester; Arthur M. Cochran, Medford; and Lewis C. Tuttle, Comerville.

## Saturday Evening Club Social At Copley-Plaza

Saturday Evening Club officials announced today plans for one of the season's most attractive functions to be held on April 18th at the Copley-Plaza in Boston.

Dancing will begin at nine and continue until one.

A special feature of the affair will be the re-enactment of the famous ride of Paul Revere. A special horse has been provided which promises to make this event most unique.

The following members of the advisory board comprise the Committee in charge of the party: Robert Clair, ballroom; Donald Hewins; music: Wallace Stearns; reception: Charles Martin, members; Edward A. Cronin, publicity; and Edward Stevens, extension.

Frank E. Dunn of Arlington and Frank A. Grant of Medford are directors of the club with headquarters at 97A Newbury street, Boston.

## South Medford

—Rev. Ambler Garnett of 83 Boston avenue, West Medford, minister of the Trinity M. E. church, left Wednesday to attend the New England Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, at Leominster.

Budding Aspirants  
Louis "Dewey" Romano, budding young amateur boxer who resides at 11 Sanger street, has left the management of Eddie Powers and is now being piloted by Al Clementi, who also manages Tony Shucro, well known North End light heavyweight. Since boxing under the Clementi banner, "Dewey" has won decisions over Paul McNeil of Roxbury, Peter Barisano of Brighton, Peter Barbara of Allston, and in a fast and furious bout held at the Men's club of Lowell, won the verdict over Tony Roberson, who is champion of that city.

Frankie Erno of 11 Golden avenue, is another fast luminary who is staging a comeback to earn sufficient money to pay his tuition at George Washington University. He has also placed himself under the management of Al Clementi. In a bout held at Lewis-ton, Me., Frankie knocked out Kayo Gonzales or that city, in two rounds.

## Babcock Hits Highest Mary In Optimistic Club Bowling Matches

St. Joseph's Optimistic Club held its regular bi-monthly bowling matches at the Hillside Alleys on Tuesday evening.

Team one, captained by Bill Gillespie, took two points as did Team two captained by George Casano. Team three went scoreless.

Arnold Babcock of Team one took high single with 119 and high triple with 300. The scores:

TEAM 1				
L. Ballou	79	66	83	228
Quirk	49	71	67	187
Coughlin	65	81	92	238
W. Gillespie	95	84	91	270
Babcock	89	92	119	300
Totals	377	394	452	1223

TEAM 2				
White	85	74	89	248
A. Marshall	74	52	70	196
Oochipinti	63	58	57	178
H. Gillespie	75	62	71	208
E. Marshall	80	80	70	230
Totals	377	326	357	1060

TEAM 3				
A. Ballou	85	91	69	245
Ronan	60	73	69	202
Quinn	77	82	53	211
Giannino	83	100	75	258
Casano	83	97	95	275
Totals	388	443	360	1191

## BOARD OF APPEALS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Whereas a petition has been presented by Mrs. Rose E. Durrant of 5 Granville avenue, Medford, to said Board, asking for a variance of Section 16, Chapter 47, of the City Ordinances, to erect a chicken house, 16 ft. x 16 ft. on Lot No. 9, Granville avenue, as shown on plan thereto attached, for the purposes as set forth in said petition, you are hereby notified to appear at a meeting of the Board to be held in Room 11, City Building, Medford, Massachusetts, on the 27th day of April next, at 7:30 P. M., to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. Board of Appeals for the City of Medford, Massachusetts. John H. Bryon, Francis Whitten Jr., T. M. Connell, ap7.1t

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage given by Antonio Guilfina and Frank Ferrera to the Medford Savings Bank, dated May 11, 1928, recorded with the South Registry District No. 87453 and noted on Certificate of Title No. 29082 in Registration Book 151 Page 539 for breach of condition therein contained, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, situate in Medford, Mass., on the 25th day of April, 1932 at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, as follows:—"A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, in said Medford, bounded as follows: South-easterly by Park Street fifty-eight (58) feet; Southwesterly by lot 1 on plan hereinafter referred to, one hundred nine and 3/100 (109.03) feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Frederick E. Jennings, sixty six and 47/100 (66.47) feet;





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Man Market, 180 Pleasant street another live organization which will strive to make Malden Day a banner event. Another live merchandising organization which is actively participating in Malden Day, is Carol's, formerly Toddman's at 417 Main street. Manager Sidney Lemberger has deliberately slashed the prices throughout the Carol Store these reductions being effective on automobile supplies, and accessories, radios, electrical and garden supplies.

### Quebec Meal Tax Is Problem To Travelers

American travellers enroute to a point in or beyond the Province of Quebec who enter the dining car as the train approaches the Quebec boundary will, in future, have to gulp down their coffee and dessert before they enter the province or pay the Hospital Tax recently imposed on meals served within the province. This is the information received by the Canadian National Railways, 673 Fifth avenue. Each meal costing thirty-five cents or more is subject to a five per cent tax by the Province. Here is the way the Railway's Legal Department interprets the

regulation. A meal served, completed and paid for in the province pays the duty. A meal served outside of Quebec, but completed and paid for in the province is taxable. This applies where a diner gets his soup and fish or meat in New York or Vermont, but has his ice cream and coffee in Quebec. He may, if he pleases, pay for the portion of his meal that is served in New York, say at Rouses Point, in which case no duty is charged. He may then order more food in Quebec and pay his duty on the latter order only. The law is hard on those entering the province, but lenient on those departing. For example a meal served in Quebec, but completed and paid for outside of the province pays no duty. However, this does not excuse a patron who completes his meal within the province and pays for it outside. His bill is taxable. Passengers abroad liners out-bound or inbound on the St. Lawrence River need not worry about the meal tax, according to officials of the Canadian National Steamships. For purpose of customs and such matters, the St. Lawrence River is not considered Quebec territory. In addition, ocean-going ships include all meals in the price of the ticket and make no attempt to show how much it costs to serve a meal.

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## 3-Act Comedy Given At First Universalist

"Strawberry Kate," a pleasing comedy in three acts, was ably presented in the vestry of the First Universalist church. The Mistic Players of the Trinity Methodist church, West Medford, conducted the performance under the sponsorship of the Universalist church school. The audience was most appreciative and keenly enjoyed the play.

The Universalist committee included Miss Sarah Graham, Miss Annie Gerrard, Miss Anna Johnson, Miss Helen Lewis, Miss Olive Lewis, Miss Eleanor Richardson, Miss Mary Bradish, Miss Cecelia Petersen and Ralph O. Silva. Warren Sawyer, Robert Lewis, Edward Fenton, Cecil Buck, Dana E. Lincoln, Karl Eklund and Randolph Miller.

The Blake trio provided excellent music for the dancing in Lawrence hall. The Mistic Players, who won considerable praise for their splendid performance were Vivian MacDonald, Dorothy Richardson, Ruth Berry, Irma Mahoney, Dorothy Queen, Dorothy Barstow, Edna MacDonald and Wilfred Perry. Albert Marshall, David Taylor, Mahlon Grouse and Harry Hogdolph, Sidney O. Griffith directed the play.

### IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lewis Leverone, 44 Bow street, Arlington, is confined to the Cardinal House, St. Elizabeth's Hospital, as the result of a fall down the stairs of her home.

Ruth Salisbury, R. N., Washington, D. C., is spending a month's vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. John E. Berglund, 51 Tyler avenue.

Mrs. Anne Horne, Elmira, New York, has just returned home after a visit at the home of Mrs. J. E. Berglund.

Rita Harden, 20 Pilgrim road, was the guest last week of her aunt Mrs. Margaret Wholley, Somerville.

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## Mrs. F. W. Lehmann Entertains At Bridge

Mrs. Frederick W. Lehmann of 186 Brooks street, West Medford, entertained with two tables of bridge, Tuesday afternoon.

An attractive collation was served and prizes were awarded; Mrs. A. G. Farquhar of 20 Lawrence road, West Medford, winning the first prize, and Mrs. Albert Pettengill of 31 Rangeley road, Arlington, receiving the second prize.

Guests of the afternoon were: Mrs. Forest Parker, Mrs. A. G. Farquhar, Mrs. Walter Hannon, Mrs. West Medford; Mrs. William O'Donahue of Medford, Mrs. Everett Levitt of Woburn; Mrs. Hubert Drury of Lexington; Mrs. Albert Pettengill of Arlington.

### REPLIES TO LETTER

Mayor John H. Burke.

Dear Sir:  
Your letter of April 2 forwarding communication from the Layne-New York Co. regarding the development of ground water supplies has been referred to me. Apparently this company does not know that the development of ground water supplies within the Metropolitan Water District is no longer approved and that an additional surface water supply for the Metropolitan Water District has been authorized by the Legislature and is now being developed at a large expense.

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) William E. Foss,  
Director and Chief Engineer.

### MAY BE HONORED

Arthur F. Haskell, of 19 Whitman road, West Medford, a freshman in the College of Business Administration of Boston University, has excellent chances of making "Locke," the Sophomore honorary society of B. U., which the eight freshmen, outstanding in the most extra-curricular activities are invited to join.

Mr. Haskell is on the Editorial board of the "Bean Pot," on the staff of the "Handbook," is assistant manager of the freshman hockey team, and is a broad-jumper on the freshman track team.

### ATTEND CHRISTENING

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wilkins of 69 Clewley road, West Medford, spent the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Morris of 664 Maple street, Manchester, to attend the christening of their grandson.

The baby was christened Alan Stackpole, Sunday afternoon in the chapel of the Franklin street Congregational church.

## First Performance High School Play Tonight At Roberts

Tonight at the Roberts Junior high school, the first performance of "Merton of the Movies," a comedy in four acts by the Medford high school Dramatic club, will be presented.

The play is under the direction of Leslie R. Carey, head of the Public Speaking department at Medford high. The production is an annual affair of the club and the proceeds will go towards the athletic fund and to the support of the Dramatic club.

### MISS MITCHELL ENTERTAINS

A bridge party was held at the home of Miss Rosamond Mitchell of Central avenue, Medford. Refreshments were served and a social time was had.

Among those present were: Ernestine Haskins, Dorothy A'Hearn Marjorie Huntington, Miriam Smith, Dorothy Kerr, Eleanor Dowling, Shirley Coffey and Marie Flynn.

## West Medford

—Mrs. Fred D. McKenney and Miss Marion Ward of Portland, Me., were guests of Mrs. Bernard Papkee, Norton avenue, over the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Jester, formerly of 250 Harvard street, have moved to Staten Island, N. Y. Mr. Jester, in the coast guard service, was transferred to that station.

## Deaths

**NELSON**—In Boston, April 5, Alvida S. Nelson, 14 Wright road, Roxbury. Funeral services at Messiah Lutheran Church, Albano and Washington streets, Rosindale, Friday, April 8, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Late charter member of Verdandi Lodge, No. 27, V. O. Remains may be viewed at Berglund Funeral Home, 292 Massachusetts ave., Arlington until 12 o'clock noon, Friday.

**BOYNTON**—Miss Elizabeth L. Boynton of Medford entered the Beautiful City on the afternoon of April 6, Services Friday afternoon April 8, at 46 Powder House road, Medford, at 2.30 p. m.

—A rehearsal of the Medford High School orchestra was held in the High School hall yesterday afternoon. The orchestra is to play for the Dramatic Club play tonight and tomorrow night.

## To Give Reception To John H. Agnew Legion Official

On Saturday, at 7 p. m., at the Hotel Bradford, Boston, John H. Agnew, the Adjutant General of Massachusetts, a prominent Legionnaire and one of the first post commanders in this department, will be tendered a reception and dinner.

Adjutant General Agnew is to be married shortly and leave the happy realm of bachelorhood. Men prominent in Federal, State and Municipal Government will be present at this dinner. Every Legionnaire and veteran who can is urged to get in touch with Captain William H. Harrison, Jr., at Room 259 State House, Boston, to make reservations for this dinner.

This is the first Legionnaire or World War veteran (former Yankee Division man) to be the commanding officer of Massachusetts' line of defense.

### BRIDGE PARTY

A bridge party was held at the home of Miss Marie Flynn of 15 Century street, West Medford. Following bridge dancing was enjoyed. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Reathe Coffey, Shirley Coffey, Eleanor Dowling, Rosamond Mitchell, Marjorie Huntington, Marie Flynn, Bob Feeley of Peabody, Ted Clebsaddle of Brookline, John Quinlan of Peabody, Fred Coates of Arlington, Raymond Whiddeman and Charles Rowman of Medford.

### ENTERS FIRST CORPS

Harry L. Matthews of 369 Fellway West, Medford, has been admitted into the First Corps Cadets, Battery F, a machine-gun battalion.

Since the First Corps cadets is the oldest military organization in the U. S. A., seeing service in many emergencies as well as in all the wars in which the country has participated, admittance is to be considered a high honor.

Mr. Matthews is employed at present by the Malden Electric company.

### ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Mrs. James Holt, 391 High street West Medford, entertained at luncheon and bridge. She was assisted by Mrs. Louise Hilton and Miss Mildred Dodge. Among those present were Mrs. Anne Horne, Elmira New Lock, Mrs. James Cutcliffe, Reading, Mrs. Rosa Macdonald, Arlington Heights, Mrs. Grace Berglund, Arlington, Mrs. Oscar Lowe, Arlington, Mrs. Edna Berglund, Reading and Mrs. Evadne Berglund, West Medford.

## Former President of Parent-Teacher Ass'n On No-School Signal

Mr. Editor:  
It was with much interest that I read Mr. Shea's letter regarding the ringing of the no school signal for the Junior and Senior High schools in days such as we had on Monday of last week, for it brought to my mind such a feeling that existed among parents in the South Medford district some six years ago.

It was at the time that I had the honor of being president of the South Medford Parent-Teacher Association and I had almost numberless calls both at my home and over the telephone from parents asking that the matter be brought before the association; at the following meeting the matter was brought up without, as far as I could see, any results, for when the question was presented these parents, who were the most severe in their criticism of the gentleman who was the superintendent of schools, simply sat quiet and several teachers talked on the question and they were of the opinion that children were better off in school regardless of the condition of the day.

I personally did not agree with these teachers in whom I had the greatest confidence for from my windows I could see children leaving the school, that was almost directly across from my home, in the pouring rain and returning about one hour later in the same wet clothing.

This condition would not be true of Junior and Senior High schools which have only one session but on the other hand we have only one High school and many, many families are not the possessors of autos and live a long distance from car or bus lines.

I am sure that only the great interest that Mr. Shea has in the boys and girls prompted him to write and express his views, for having a boy and a girl in the school in which this young man teaches, I have been privileged to meet and talk with the gentleman and know him to be the type of young man fitted to instruct our boys and girls, sympathetic but firm.

We are all justly proud of our school system and acknowledge it to be of the best, second to none; but even then no matter how fine there is always room for improvements. Our school board, many that are parents are members of this board, will, I am sure, take Mr. Shea's remarks under consideration and if by it he would have saved somebody's boy or girl from an illness caused by being exposed to the weather going and coming from school, there are many boys and girls this year who on previous years have had many changes of foot clothing have not had even a pair of rubbers this year, would we not all say he had rendered a human service.

Winifred L. Papkee,  
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### LAMBDA PI SIGMA MEETS

The "rush" party of the Lambda Pi Sigma sorority was held Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Doris Sandgren, 414 Winthrop street, West Medford. Bridge was enjoyed. Those who received prizes were: Misses Doris Barclay, Eileen Somers, and Helen Bent. Tea was served by the hostess' mother assisted by the hostess' sister, Miss Dorothy Sandgren.

Among those present were the Misses Helen Bent, Hilda Berry, Aleyone Johnson, Priscilla Seavey, Betty Pride, Doris Barclay, Isabel Drew, Barbara Long, Helen Boyd, Eileen Somers, Phyllis Whynott, Dorothy Fisher, Eleanor Rutledge, Alice Rutledge, Alice Kholey, and Doris Sandgren.

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